

3rd annual national joint conference on health care associated infection

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everybody's
responsibility!

Reducing infection across the community

Wednesday 14 January 2009

The Majestic Hotel, Harrogate, North Yorkshire

Registration: **08.30 – 09.30** Conference close: **16.20**

Health care associated infection (HCAI) remains a major challenge to health care providers in all settings be they community, acute, mental health or health and social care.

Infection prevention and control is at the heart of initiatives to provide high quality, safe care to patients across the UK and Europe. The Royal College of Nursing recognises the key role that nurses and nursing play in leading and influencing HCAI reduction initiatives.

The Department of Health, the Royal College of Nursing and the National Patient Safety Agency are committed to joint professional working which promotes and facilitates patient safety. This is the third joint national conference, and is aimed at all levels of health care professionals and clinicians who wish to reduce levels of HCAI. Our speakers will explore the current position in relation to HCAI and how we can further improve standards of care through collaborative working with our partner organisations.

Exhibition opportunities

An exhibition will accompany the conference. If you are interested in exhibiting, advertising or sponsorship opportunities please contact our exhibitions team on:

Tel: 020 8872 3110

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The venue

The Majestic Hotel
Ripon Road
Harrogate
North Yorkshire
HG1 2HU

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Accommodation

Special rates have been negotiated with the hotel for your convenience;

Single bedded room	£89
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Sole occupancy twin/double room	£99
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Dual occupancy twin/double room	£109
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All rates are inclusive of VAT and full English breakfast.

To take advantage of these special rates please call the hotel directly on (01423) 700300 and quote the conference.

Charming and elegant, Barceló Harrogate Majestic Hotel exudes sophistication and basks in Victorian heritage. Located in the heart of Harrogate, the conference venue is only 1 mile from the train station.



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Programme

- 08.30 Registration, exhibition, networking and refreshments**
- 09.30 Chairs opening remarks**
Rose Gallagher, Infection Control Nurse Adviser, Royal College of Nursing
- 09.35 Opening address**
Ann Keen MP, Department of Health
- 10.05 Keynote address**
Martin Kiernan, Nurse Consultant and Vice President of Prevention and Control of Infection, Southport and Ormskirk Hospital NHS Trust
- 10.20 HCAI - working in partnership across health and social care**
Professor Brian Duerden CBE, Inspector of Microbiology and Infection Control
- 10.50 Questions**
- 11.00 Exhibition, networking and refreshments**
- 11.30 Putting the Hygiene Code into practice**
Helen Jenkinson MSc, Deputy Director of Infection Prevention and Control, University Hospital of North Staffordshire NHS Trust
- 11.55 A collaborative approach to managing HCAI – views from a district wide infection prevention team**
Yvonne Hanson, Infection Prevention and Control Matron, Kirklees PCT and Samantha Moorehouse Infection Control Nurse, Bradford District Care Trust, Airedale General Hospital
- 12.25 Exhibition, networking and lunch**
- 13.30 Chair's welcome**
Martin Kiernan, Nurse Consultant and Vice President of Prevention and Control of Infection, Southport and Ormskirk Hospital NHS Trust
- 13.35 Leading the way - the RCN's commitment to reducing health care associated infections**
Rose Gallagher, Infection Control Nurse Adviser, Royal College of Nursing
- 14.00 Acute and Community – Commissioning management of health care associated infections**
Debbie Wright, Nurse Consultant Infection Prevention and Control, Central Lancashire PCT
- 14.25 Ambulance Trust: the role of the ambulance service in infection control**
Diane Hadlington, Incident Support Officer, Dudley, West Midlands Ambulance Service, NHS Trust
- 14.40 Infection Prevention: It's in your hands**
Jonathan-Paul Nolan, Infection Control Adviser, National Patient Safety Agency (NPSA)
- 15.10 Exhibition, networking and refreshments**
- 15.40 Review: Clostridium Difficile – Isolation**
Martin Kiernan, Nurse Consultant and Vice President of Prevention and Control of Infection, Southport and Ormskirk Hospital NHS Trust
- 16.00 IV therapy – beyond the acute environment**
Speaker to be announced
- 16.35 Chair's closing remarks and close of conference**

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